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1. HSULH Yueh, Hainan Defense Commander, is reorganizing his forces into five armies and one independent division. HSUEH and CHEN Chi-tang, Nationalist Governor of Mainan, has improved because of promises of fuller support from Generalissimo CHIANG Kai-shek*.

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- 2. HSULH says that there are no signs of the Communists making a major preparation for a mass invasion of Hainan, but that they are infiltrating the island in small numbers by night***. The next two months are the crucial defense period because of the weather.
- 3. PAI Chung-hsi is in Taiwan for a few days.

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